Sl. No.	State	NH No.	Section	Length (Km)
4	JHARKHAND	2	Barwa adda-West Bengal Border	42.65
5	MAHARASHTRA	3&4	Thane-Bhiwandi	22.80
		4	Khambatki Ghat Tunnel and Road	8.00
		8	Manor-Dahisar	63.00
6	ORISSA	5	Bhubaneswar-Cuttack-Jagatpur	27.80
7	PUNJAB	1	Haryana Border-Khanna-Jalandhar	159.84
8	RAJASTHAN	8	Haryana Border-Kotputli-Chandwazi-Jaipur bypass	161.52
9	UTTAR PRADESH	2	Haryana Border-Kosi-Agra	105.17
		24	Ghaziabad-Hapur & Hapur bypass	32.25
10	WEST BENGAL	2	Jharkhand Border-Panagarh	73.84
			TOTAL	1419.31

Life insurance cover for artisans working for KVIC

*169. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA:
SHRI YADLAPATI VENKAT RAO:

Will the Minister of AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of artisans working for the Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC); and

(b) the action proposed to provide a comprehensive group life insurance cover to them as a social security measure?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES (SHRI SANGH PRIYA GAUTAM): (a) It is estimated that 3.13 lakh full time Khadi artisans were working in the Khadi Section under the Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC) during 2002-03.

(b) The Government proposes to launch the Janashree Bima Yojana, a Group Insurance Scheme on 15.08.2003 for Khadi artisans as a social security measure. The scheme provides risk cover in case of natural

death for Rs. 20,000/- while in case of death due to accident, an amount of Rs. 50,000/- will be payable. In case of permanent disability (loss of two eyes/limbs of use) due to accident, Rs. 50,000/- is payable and in the case of partial disability, Rs. 25,000/- is payable to the beneficiary.

The premium for this Scheme, per Khadi artisan would be Rs. 200/-. The break-up of the premium is as under:

Social Security fund		Rs. 100/-
Khadi Institution		Rs. 50/-
Khadi Artisan		Rs. 25/-
KVIC/Govt. of India		Rs. 25/-
	TOTAL:	Rs. 200/-

Extradition of fugitives

*170. SHRI K. B. KRISHNA MURTHY: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are facing a deadlock on extradition proceedings in many countries due to intrasigent attitude of even smaller countries; if so, the details thereof;

(b) the number of fugitives wanted in India who are facing extradition proceedings abroad and how many letters rogatory are still lying unexecuted; and

(c) whether Government are still considering an amendment in the existing extradition laws, by providing for sovereign assurance on the quantum of punishment to fugitives after being extradited to India?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) A Statement annexed. (*See* below)

(c) No, Sir.